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## N. H. PRESS CLUB

### HELD ANNUAL MEETING

WENTWORTH HALL.

The annual meeting and banquet of the New Hampshire Press association was held at Manchester, Saturday, and it drew many newspaper men from all over the state.

At the annual meeting the following officers were elected:

President, John W. Condon of the Manchester Union; first vice president, O. A. Towne of Franklin; second vice president, H. E. Doyen; secretary and treasurer, W. C. Patten of the Mirror; executive committee, E. L. Welch of Franklin, F. W. Hartford, Portsmouth and C. O. Barney of Canaan; auditor E. J. Knowlton, Manchester.

Several questions were discussed pertaining to the newspaper trade, among which the most important was the question of the government printing stamped envelopes. It was said that this printing means a loss to the job printers all over the country. Postmaster Eugene Lane of Suncook argued that the printing of envelopes by the government in reality helps the job printer, because it educates

the business people to the habit of having their envelopes printed.

On motion of C. O. Barney of Canaan, it was voted to adopt resolutions to be sent to members of congress, supporting two bills regarding this matter, now before the house.

The banquet was served at six o'clock, and when cigars were reached, President F. W. Hartford, who presided as toastmaster, the speaker of the meeting, Gen. Charles H. Taylor of the Boston Globe, who delivered a very interesting address on "Journalism," and it was personal reminiscence of his long years of experience in the newspaper and the changes that had come in that time, as well as the general changes in the ownership of the big papers.

Other speakers who were heard were:

Rev. Thomas Chalmers, R. W. Pillsbury and Sherman E. Burroughs.

Among those present were E. J. Knowlton, W. C. Patten, J. W. Aldred, Eugene Lane, of Suncook, John N. Parsons, David Scannell, Fred Allen,

H. E. Doyen, F. W. Hartford of Portsmouth, E. L. Welch of Franklin, C. O. Barney of Canaan, Ernest Bourneval, J. M. Bernier, R. W. Pillsbury, Geo. W. Fowler, E. H. Clough, W. G. Ashtca, H. W. Spaulding, J. O. Tremblay, W. F. Harrington, J. E. Mooney, Fred W. Watson, G. F. Mitchell of Pittsfield, C. C. Moore of Concord, Hobart A. Pillsbury, H. B. Fairbanks, E. J. Burnham, Sherman E. Burroughs, the Rev. Dr. Thomas Chalmers, W. P. Burpee, Gen. Frank S. Streeter, of Concord, Frank Downs, George I. McAllister, George Phinney and others.

## THOMAS FLYNN GETS CONTRACT TO SPRINKLE STREETS

The contract for street sprinkling has been awarded to Thomas Flynn for the season of 1910.

He began the work Sunday, and under the contract will cover Market, Pleasant, Islington and Middle streets, Richards avenue, Miller avenue, Congress street, Court street, and all the streets between Congress and Court streets.

The weather has been a little cool for baseball.

## KITTERY LETTER

### Thomas F. Adlington is Dead

### Latest Doings of the Whist Players

### A Daughter Born to Mr. and Mrs. Morrell Norton

### Score of Saturday's Baseball Game at Kittery Point

Kittery, Me., April 18.

Kittery correspondent's telephone 297-5.

Schoolchildren in town will get a vacation on Tuesday, which is Patriots' Day.

The second annual ball of the Kittery Baseball club will be given this evening in Wentworth hall. A very pleasant affair is assured.

Invitations are out for the May ball to be given in Wentworth Hall Monday evening, May 2, by the Senior class of Trap academy.

A regular meeting of Riverside lodge, No. 72, Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be held this evening in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Up to date, the month of April has been less springlike than its predecessor.

The presence of the town float stage at the town wharf would not come amiss thus late in the season.

Master Clayton Sawyer of Kittery Point has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Curtis S. Chick of Otis avenue.

The regular meeting of the Pine Hill Whist club will be postponed this evening on account of the baseball club dance. The whist club will meet Tuesday night with Miss Carrie Paul of Government street, after which there will be but one more sitting.

The three master William R. Huston arrived at this port in January in distress, with the loss of her mast-topmast. When she came in Saturday the same spar was still missing.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Miss Julia Duncan of Williams Avenue on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Paine of Buffalo, N. Y., are in town called by the death of Josiah Lewis, Mrs. Paine's uncle.

Stephen S. Paul of Lynn has returned home after a stay in town.

The Odd Fellows' Lodge and the Grand Army post, beside a considerable number of citizens, will go to South Berwick on Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of Thomas F. Adlington at the Congregational church in that town. Mr. Adlington died at his home on Saturday night, aged sixty-seven years, five months, and five days. He was a native of Wayland, Mass., served in a New Hampshire regiment in the Civil War and came to Kittery shortly after the close of the war. He was many years station agent at Kittery depot, now Kittery Junction, and later was

agent at Navy Yard Station. Since retiring from the railroad he had lived at South Berwick. He leaves his wife and two sons, one a policeman at Willton, Mass., the other station agent at South Berwick; also two brothers, Charles Adlington of South Berwick and Samuel L. Adlington of Eliot, and two sisters, Miss Annie Adlington of Everett, Mass., and Mrs. John Fernald of Eliot. He was a much liked citizen and leaves many friends here. Besides the Odd Fellows lodge and the Grand Army post in this village, he belonged to the Kittery Ancient Order of United Workmen and to the South Berwick Congregational church.

Winifred Bunker of York was in town on Sunday, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bunker.

Mrs. Charles Gerry and daughter Mildred passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George E. Ireland of Eliot.

Mrs. Amos Rundlett and daughter Dorothy of Portsmouth, were the guests of Miss Abbie Goodson of New-march street on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Irish of Amesbury passed the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farwell of Walker street.

Charles Otis is in feeble health at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Otis on Government street.

Mrs. Ralph Clark, who has been ill with tonsillitis, is now able to go out. Miss Mary Hanscom of North Hampton was the guest of the Misses Annie and Nettie Hanscom of Love Lane on Sunday.

Yesterday being conference Sunday there was no preaching service at the Second Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Keane have returned from Malden. While away, both have received surgical treatment.

Kittery Point correspondent's telephone 297-5.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Kittery Point Fire Department will be held in Firemen's Hall Thursday evening. At that time Horace W. Gray, president of the Portsmouth Veteran Firemen's Association, will address the gathering.

Charles E. Phillips, Jr., of the F. M. Harding Fish Company, Boston, passed Sunday with his parents here. George E. Bliss of Malden, Mass., visited friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrell Norton are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, born Thursday night.

Mrs. M. H. Honsberger of Newton, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Ames.

Merle S. Bond of Boston passed the week end with relatives in town.

Mrs. E. H. Cousins and daughter Catherine are visiting in Lawrence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield L. Tohey are to move from Capt. T. B. Hoy's house, on Foy's Lane to the old Deering house, also owned by him, opposite the Atlantic Shore Line car barn. C. Henry Blake passed Sunday in Dover.

Charles H. Wilson has moved from the Spruce Creek road to the house owned by Mrs. Eunice Safford near Cutts Island bridge.

Much regret and sympathy is felt for John W. Tobey of Manchester, N. H., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Tobey of Crockett's Neck, whose wife has recently died. Mr. Tobey had been married less than two years.

It has been decided to have a whist party in the hall over Frisbee's Hall while the Volunteer Firemen's May ball is in progress Tuesday evening, May 3.

Nathaniel C. Nutter of Lynn passed Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. Mabel Louise Coes announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mildred Frances Coes, to Mr. David Arnold Wasson, the marriage to take place early in June.

M. G. L. won Saturday's game from the Kittery Tigers by a score of 6 to 5. The game was well played by both teams and few errors were made. The score:

M. G. L.		ab r b e	
Phillips cf.	4	0	1
Pruett p.	4	1	2
E. Seaward ss.	4	0	1
Davis c.	4	1	3
H. Witham 2b.	4	0	2
W. Seaward 1b.	4	1	3
E. R. Seaward, lf.	3	1	3
C. Witham 3b.	3	1	2
A. Fletcher rf.	3	1	1
Total	33	6	16

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## RYE

### One Whist Club Suspends for the Season

### The Funeral of Benjamin Odiorne on Sunday Afternoon

Rye, April 18.

Mrs. H. Russell Sawyer of Farmington, Pa., is visiting relatives in town.

The weekly meetings of the Jolly Whist club were discontinued last week for the summer.

Wendell Wynott of Amesbury, Mass., was a visitor in town on Sunday.

The funeral of Benjamin Odiorne was held on Sunday afternoon from his late home at East Rye. Services were conducted by Rev. William P. Stanley of the Portsmouth Baptist church. Interment was in the family cemetery by Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

The W. N. T. Whist club was entertained on Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Patterson at their home, Rye Centre.

Rev. Mr. Parlington of Hampton occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church Sunday morning and preached a very able sermon.

Mr. Ray Wynott of Lawrence, Mass., was a visitor in town on Sunday.

A. H. Putnam, manager of the Ocean Wave House, North Rye Beach, has arrived at the beach, and will occupy one of the cottages until the hotel opens.

## PROCLAMATIONS IN CHINESE

### Were posted by the Local Census Takers This Morning

Census proclamations in the Chinese language were posted in this city today by local census enumerators. They are printed in black and red on heavy white paper, the size of a chair bottom, and the local enumerators hope these proclamations will lighten their task.

The poster contains a notice from the Chinese government to the Chinese people in America that the census won't hurt them, is merely a count of the people, and has nothing to do with war, taxes or Chinese exclusion.

## SHAW DIVORCE CASE PUT ALONG

Worcester, Mass., April 18.—The Senator Shaw divorce case was this morning postponed two days.

## EVENTS OF ELIOT

### Contract is Let for Building the Grange Hall

### Sunday Was a Great Day for Gathering Mayflowers

Eliot, Me., April 18.

At the meeting of the Grange Hall Building committee on Saturday night the contract for excavation, foundation and building, except the rough lumber, was let to Loring H. Worcester of Dover, at \$3,905.

Alvin Cole is reported as doing well at the Cushing Hospital, Roxbury, Mass., where he underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Laureston Gould has returned from the Cushing hospital, Roxbury, Mass., where she underwent a surgical operation.

Roy F. Staples and his brother-in-law, Mr. Gray, spent Sunday in town, making the trip from and to Boston by automobile. Mr. Staples reports that he has done well in the six months since he left Eliot.

A large amount of unscreened gravel has been dumped on the road from Rosemary Junction past Rosemary cottage. The bottom there is ugly.

Mrs. Dora Edwards, near Green Acre, is confined to the house by sickness.

Sunday was the premier day for may flowers. Large numbers from Portsmouth and Kittery and some from other places visited the woods back from Rosemary Junction and came back laden with huge handfuls of the tiny floral prizes.

Mrs. Arthur Gould of Portsmouth has taken a year's lease of the N. A. McKenny place on Pleasant street, owned by the Misses Larkin of Concord, N. H.

Miss Sarah Tobey has returned from a three-weeks' visit with relatives in Boston and vicinity.

## SUICIDE AT NEW CASTLE

Horbin Hutchins of New Castle, aged 18 years, son of Wilbur Hutchins, attempted to take his life this afternoon by shooting himself in the ear. The cause is said to be disappointment and his death is expected to follow any minute. He was formerly employed as a teamster for one of the trucking firms in this city.

## THE WEATHER

Monday night and Tuesday—Cloudy with showers and light to moderate variable winds.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.



## Spring Offerings of New Dress Goods

### OUR DISPLAY OF SILKS, WASH GOODS AND DRESS GOODS IS COMPLETE.

More announcement would be sufficient, everyone has come to recognize our fabric displays as the finest in Portsmouth. Manufacturers appreciating the immensity of our outlet vie with each other in making concessions that forecast unusual values to you.

This season we have been exceptionally fortunate, not only were we able to secure vast quantities of staple and fancy weaves, but a perfectly bewitching variety as well. We can say frankly and without fear of contradiction that despite the handsome patterns that have characterized our previous displays, those involved this season eclipse every precedent.

Here are collected for your examination and approval hundreds of yards of exquisitely handsome silks, Dress Goods and Wash Goods, the kind that will plunge appreciative women into veritable paroxysms of enthusiasm. As for the prices, a glance through the appended list will prove that their lowness can't possibly be exaggerated.

## BARGAINS AT OUR SILK COUNTER.

- 27 inch Dotted Silk Muslin, White, Ecru, Navy, Green and Brown.....19c yard
- Seco Silks, all shades.....29c
- (For Three Days Only.)
- 19 inch Printed India Silks, new colorings.....59c
- 24 inch Sa in Foulards, exclusive Dress Patterns.....83c
- 27 inch Tussock, Natural Pongee color.....73c
- 24 inch Rough Pongees, White, Lavender, Light Blue.....39c
- 36 inch Black Taffeta.....79c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
- 36 inch Black Mou de Soie.....\$1.39

## DRESS GOODS.

- 36 inch Fancy Stripes, (self colored) 6 colorings.....50c
- 36 inch Fancy Stripes, Navy and Black, White Hair Line Stripes, White with Black.....50c
- 36 inch Grey Mixed Serge.....50c
- 42 inch Black and White Stripes, Serpes.....59c (White Ground with Black Stripes, even Black and White Stripes.)
- 36 inch Black and White, Navy and White, Brown and White Shepherd's Checks.....23c
- 42 inch Black and White Shepherd's Check, extra value for.....50c

## DRESS GOODS

CONTINUED.

- 54 inch Black and White Shepherd's Check.....75c
- 54 inch Grey Mixtures.....75c and 87c
- 42 inch India Twill (French Serge) 8 new colorings.....87c
- 42 inch Cashmere, new Raisin Shades.....\$1.00
- 42 inch Dress Lengths, comprising latest weaves and colorings (8 yards in pattern).....\$1.00 yard
- Complete Assortment of Black Dress Goods.

## WASH GOODS.

- 50 Styles Scotch Ginghams, 32 inch.....25c
- Anderson Plaid Ginghams, 32 inch.....45c
- Congo and Hajah Cloth (Pongee effect) 25 colorings.....25c
- Himalaya Cloth.....29c
- Plain Poplins.....25c and 29c
- Fancy Stripe Poplins.....33c
- Bedford Cords, Natural, Blue and Lavender.....29c
- Egyptian Tissues (Stripes and Checks).....25c
- Chiffon Lisse, the most successful thin goods we have ever handled, a good line of colors and patterns, sold everywhere for 29c, our price.....25c
- Ribbon Stripe Mercerized Suitings, the newest shades, 27 inch.....25c

GEORGE B. FRENCH CO.

## TUNGSTEN LAMPS

(The trade name recently given to the Tungsten Lamp is Mazda Lamp, but means nothing except a trade name.)

### Reduction in Price

Customers entitled to free renewals of carbon incandescent lamps can now obtain Tungsten Lamps in exchange, for the following excess prices:

25 Watt	\$.50
40 "	.50
60 "	.70
100 "	.75
150 "	1.00
250 "	1.30

Rockingham County Light & Power Co.  
J. S. WHITAKER, Supt.

FROM EXETER

A Busy Week in Social Circles

Academy Boys Won at Baseball

German Drama Given by the Seminary Girls

William Manix is to Play Baseball with Somersworth

Exeter, April 18.—Events for this week are more than ordinary, and the calendar is nearly full of social and other dates. On Monday evening, Swanscott lodge, Knights of Pythias, will observe its fourteenth anniversary by appropriate exercises at the lodge rooms. Damon temple, Pythian Sisters, and the ladies in the families of the lodge, are invited to attend. The Renaissance club will meet on that evening with Dr. Gracock. Superior court opens on Tuesday; there are two baseball games, Bates on Wednesday, and Colby on Saturday. Besides these there are several meetings of the different church societies. Also, there is to be a dance by the members of the Third company, Coast artillery, on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver A. Fleming are both confined at home by illness. His undertaking business is in the meantime being conducted by Warren J. Prescott of Hampton Falls.

Rev. Richard P. Loring of St. John's church at Newtonville, Mass., had charge of the services at Christ church on Sunday. In the afternoon he conducted the service in German.

The Christian Scientists are now well established in their new quarters at the former postoffice block, and they are ideal quarters for the work. The Sunday services are held at 10:45 o'clock, and the reading room is open from 2 to 4 o'clock daily. The subject of the meeting on Sunday was the "The Doctrine of Atonement." The Sunday school was also held.

Miss Helen Scammon of Tufts college is spending the spring vacation at her home in Stratford. She was a graduate from the seminary here last June.

The second out of town concert by the combined musical clubs of the academy was given Saturday evening at Bradford academy. A special train conveying the boys to Bradford left the station here at 6:30 o'clock.

Dr. Hamilton W. Mahle, associate editor of The Outlook, addressed the students at the Christian fraternity at the academy Sunday evening. It was not Dr. Mahle's first appearance here and his discourses, as was the one on Saturday evening, have been highly interesting.

Exeter's latest industry, the manufacturing of axle grease, is meeting with success, and the shipment of the wares for the past month have been extremely large.

The young ladies of the Robinson seminary appeared before the footlights Saturday evening, when they staged the German play "Der Bihlo-thekar." It was a capital entertainment. Beauty, and catchy costumes were at premium, and the cast acted their parts with true professional caliber. The plot was fascinating, and the thread of the story woven with romance, love and amusing climaxes. The young ladies in male roles were a part of the feature of the performance, and the female roles were also admirably played. The cast included the following: Misses Helen Batchelder, Marion Locke, Bessie Lane, Agnes Burlingame, Leah White, Anna Young, Florence Baker, Robina Tilton, Helen Hertell, Florence Gallant, Helen Young, Ruth Tuttle and Eva Deconour. The stage manager was Miss Marion Templeton. There were also songs by the children. The proceeds, which netted a generous sum, were for the piano fund of the seminary.

Judge Thomas Leavitt, relates an interesting story regarding a copy of a will which came to the court for probating, when he was on the bench as judge of probate court. The document was a foreign one, the first one that ever found its way across the water to the record building in Rockingham county's shire town. It came from a legatee of the will who resided in Ireland, was copied in the old time form of the times, and the penmanship and size were astounding. So large was the legal sheet that it could not be filed in the regular cases

and the penmanship would arouse the envy of the most expert calligraphers of modern days. The judge held the position on the bench some time during the '80's.

Clinton Elwell, son of Col. R. N. Elwell, of this town, will be one of the college boys who will conduct a summer camp for the training of athletes and the conducting of summer athletic sports this summer. He has an excellent camp at Silver Lake at Newton Junction, and it is his intention to have many school boys there for athletic training. Elwell was a prominent athlete when he was a student at Dartmouth, being a promising member of the track team, as pole vaulter and high jumper. He is now a student at Harvard. The camp is to be called "Camp Kalos."

Exeter's veteran professional baseball player, William Manix, will this year play again with Somersworth. Another player who will probably break into the professional ranks, is William Fuller, who played a fast game with the E. A. A. last season. George A. Tilton is this season playing an infield position with the Haverhill New England league team.

Eli Barlow, one of the Academy's star middle distance runners, has been compelled to leave school, owing to illness, and has gone to his home in Corry, Pa. Barlow was a promising man for the quarter mile run this spring, and he was the fellow who outran the field in the 600 yard run in the indoor interscholastic meet held in Boston on Feb. 26. It was also he who ran such a gruelling race in the 440 with Pillsbury of Andover last May, both pumping themselves out before the finish line. It is doubtful if he returns in time to be of any service to the team this spring.

In celebration of the completion of its 32d year Saturday's Exonian was an interesting anniversary number, quadrupled in size, copiously illustrated and presenting a variety of special articles. The edition was issued under the direction of the retiring board: M. P. Noyes, '30 of Warren, Penn., managing editor; D. J. P. Wingate '10 of Winchester, Mass., assistant; J. A. Henderson '10 of Johnston, Penn., secretary; L. S. Zartman '11 of Waterloo, N. Y.; B. Portman '12 of New York; S. Bonnal, Jr., '11 of Columbus, O.; O. O. Stewart '12 of Columbus, O.; W. S. Stewart, '12 of Springfield, O.; G. Dorah '11 of Franklin, La., business manager.

Phillips Exeter defeated Boston college Saturday at Exeter, 17 to 6, in an eight inning game. Boston scored in the first on a hit batsman, a pass and two singles, one of which was fumbled. In the fourth Litchfield passed two men, both of whom scored on his wild pitch. To Boston's other run an excusable error contributed. In the last two innings Exeter batted heavily. The score:

Exeter.				
Vaughn c	2	1	0	1
Curtis cf	1	0	0	0
Walsh if	0	0	0	0
Frear lf	1	0	0	0
Frye 1b	3	5	0	0
Fox 2b	1	4	2	0
Tidgewell rf	1	0	0	0
Wingate 3b	0	0	0	0
Hennessey ss	1	2	0	1
Donovan c	2	12	3	0
Litchfield p	1	0	3	0
*Lalley p	0	0	0	0
Way p	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	24	8	2

Boston College.				
Donahue 2b	1	2	0	0
F. Ryan lf	1	3	0	0
J. Ryan c	0	5	0	4
Falvey c	1	1	0	0
Harrington 1b	0	9	0	1
Murphy 3b	0	1	4	2
McIntyre rf	2	0	0	0
Lowe ss	0	0	3	0
McDonald cf	0	0	0	0
Lyons cf	0	0	0	0
Kane p	0	0	3	1
Totals	5	21	10	8

\*Batted for Litchfield in seventh.

Innings ..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
Exeter ..... 1 0 1 5 0 5 5 -17  
Boston college ..... 3 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 -6  
Runs scored—Vaughn 3, Curtis, Walsh 2, Frear, Frye 3, Fox, Tidgewell, Wingate, Hennessey, Donovan 2, Litchfield F. Ryan 2, Harrington, Murphy, McIntire, McDonald. Two base hit—Vaughn. Three base hits—Frye, Fox, Tidgewell. Sacrifice hit—Lalley. Stolen bases—Vaughn 2, Wingate, Walsh, Hennessey, Fox, Ryan, McIntire 2, Lowe 2. Bases on balls—Off Litchfield 4. Struck out—By Litchfield 7, by Way 2, by Kane 6. Hit by pitched ball—Donahue, Fox. Double play—Fox to Hennessey. Wild pitch—Litchfield. Passed ball—J. Ryan. Time—1h, 56m. Umpire—Chick Quinn. Attendance—800.

WENT ON DUTY

Police Officer Thomas Burke, who recently returned from California, took up his beat in the Creek district Saturday.

New Castle will certainly be a busy place this summer along the water front.

REORGANIZATION OF THE ATLANTIC FLEET

Divisions with Anchorage at New York, Norfolk, Philadelphia and Boston

Washington, April 18.—A comprehensive change in the formation and organization of the Atlantic battleship fleet has been directed by Secretary Meyer, after repeated conferences with the foremost tactical officers of the navy. Mr. Meyer has long realized that the constant addition of the new and more powerful ships to the squadron of fighters now in the Atlantic would make it necessary that some plan be devised which would weld the fleet into a more compact and formidable unit. The first change will come early in May, when the monster ships the Delaware, the North Dakota, the South Carolina and the Michigan will be assigned to the battleship fleet, to replace four of the older ships, which have not yet been selected. The fleet will continue to be divided into four divisions, but each division will have its home port.

Divisions to New York, Norfolk, Philadelphia and Boston

At present the ships scatter to various ports when not with the fleet, but hereafter regular anchorages will be assigned. The first division, with the flagship Connecticut, will harbor at New York, the second at Norfolk, the third at Boston and the fourth at Philadelphia. This plan will remain operative until July, 1911, when the important part of the change will become effective.

On that date the fleet will be increased from sixteen to twenty-one battleships, with the Connecticut still the flagship, but with each division composed of five vessels instead of four, as at present. There will also be added a division of four armored cruisers—a type which is not now attached to the fleet. These cruisers will be the North Carolina, the Montana, the Washington and the Tennessee.

It is also contemplated by the Secretary that one ship out of each division shall be placed in drydock. This will insure a unit of four ships in each division at all times. As the older ships are replaced by more modern vessels four will be kept continuously in reserve and five out of commission. Those in reserve will, of course, retain a major part of their complement. On April 1, 1912, another important change will be made. The Wyoming will be made the flagship. This vessel is now building, and when completed her 26,000 tons will make her one of the most powerful craft in the world. Her sister ship, the Arkansas, will also be ready by that time. The four divisions will be retained, but the reserve fleet will be increased to ten battleships, which will be kept at Philadelphia because of the deep harbor and strategic advantages.

The Reorganization in May

Under the reorganization to be ordered next month the fleet will be constituted as follows:

First Division—Connecticut, Delaware, North Dakota and Michigan.  
Second Division—Louisiana, South Carolina, Kansas and New Hampshire.  
Third Division—Georgia, Nebraska, Rhode Island and Virginia.  
Fourth Division—Minnesota, Vermont, Mississippi and Idaho.

After July of Next Year

On July 1, 1911, the fleet will be composed of the following:

First Division—Connecticut (flagship), Florida, Utah, Delaware, North Dakota and Michigan.

Second Division—Louisiana, South Dakota, Kansas, Vermont and New Hampshire.

Third Division—Georgia, Nebraska, New Jersey, Virginia and Ohio.

Fourth Division—Minnesota, Mississippi, Idaho, Virginia and Ohio.

Fifth Division or Armored Cruiser Division—Tennessee, Washington, North Carolina and Montana.

Two Years From Now

On April 1, 1912, as stated previously, the Wyoming will succeed the Connecticut as the flagship. The other battleships then will be as follows:

First Division—Arkansas, Florida, Utah, Delaware and North Dakota.

Second Division—Louisiana, Michigan, South Carolina, Vermont and New Hampshire.

Third Division—Connecticut, Kansas, Minnesota, Idaho and Mississippi.

Fourth Division—Georgia, Nebraska,

ka, New Jersey, Rhode Island and Virginia.

The reserve battle fleet will consist of the Missouri, Ohio, Maine, Wisconsin, Illinois, Alabama, Kearsarge, Kentucky, Iowa, Massachusetts and Indiana.

NAVY ORDERS

Commander W. P. White, from command Wolverine to Naval War College, Newport, R. I.

Lieutenant Commander C. Davis, from bureau of equipment, navy department, to Mississippi.

Lieutenant Commander I. C. Wetzel, from Minnesota and wait orders.

Lieutenant Commander A. Althaus, from Vermont and wait orders.

Lieutenant Commander D. V. H. Allen, from Wisconsin to Nebraska.

Lieutenant Commander H. Laning, from Nebraska and wait orders.

Lieutenant Commander K. M. Bennett, from Missouri to Nebraska.

Lieutenant Commander W. D. MacDougall, from New Jersey to command Wolverine.

Lieutenant H. L. Wynant, from Nebraska and wait orders.

Lieutenant V. A. Kimberly, from Virginia and wait orders.

Lieutenant F. L. Sheffield, from naval academy, Annapolis, Md., to Virginia.

Lieutenant C. C. Soule, Jr., from Nebraska and wait orders.

Surgeon R. C. Holcomb, from Solace to Delaware.

Surgeon A. W. Dunbar, to naval dispensary, navy department.

Passed Assistant Surgeon W. S. Pugh, Jr., from Tacoma and wait orders.

Passed Assistant Surgeon M. W. Baker, from Nebraska to Connecticut.

Passed Assistant Surgeon L. W. Bishop, from navy yard, New York to Tacoma.

Passed Assistant Surgeon E. H. H. Old, from naval dispensary to naval medical school hospital, Washington, D. C.

Passed Assistant Surgeon J. H. Hallway, from the Connecticut to navy yard, New York.

Assistant Surgeon W. J. Riddle, from naval medical school, Washington, D. C., to the South Carolina.

Assistant Surgeon J. R. Phelps, from the South Carolina to the Solace.

Chief Boatswain H. J. Duffy, from the naval coal depot, New London, Conn., to the Minnesota.

Chief Boatswain N. Drake, from the Wisconsin to the North Dakota.

Chief Boatswain M. Fritman, from the Minnesota to charge of the naval coal depot, New London, Conn.

Boatswain W. H. Moyn has been placed upon the retired list of the navy.

Chief Gunner T. S. Aveson, from the Minnesota and wait orders.

Gunner M. Macdonald, from the Wisconsin to the Vermont.

Gunner M. Case from the Wisconsin to the Kansas.

Gunner W. H. Dayton, from the Vermont to the New York Shipbuilding company, Camden, N. J.

Chief Machinist D. Purden, from the Minnesota to the navy yard, New York.

Chief Machinist E. G. Affleck, from the Kansas and wait orders.

Chief Machinist C. H. Hosung, from the navy yard, Philadelphia, to the Kansas.

Machinist T. W. Smith, from the naval training station, North Chicago, to the Kansas.

F. D. Foley has been appointed a paymaster's clerk in the navy, with duty at Yorktown.

Boatswain W. Fremgen, to naval station, Narragansett bay, R. I.

Chief Gunner E. H. Whitney, from the New Jersey and wait orders.

Gunner G. O. Anderson, from the Franklin to the Texas.

Gunner A. D. Freshman, from naval torpedo station, Newport, R. I., to New Jersey.

Chief Carpenter E. W. Smith, to the Tacoma.

Chief Carpenter C. F. Hand, from the New Jersey and wait orders.

Chief Carpenter E. Johnson, from the Wisconsin to the New Jersey.

Chief Carpenter G. L. Bennett, from the Rhode Island and wait orders.

Carpenter E. L. Lovett, from the Wake to the Rhode Island.

Machinist J. W. Mergel, from the Wisconsin to the Texas.

Machinist J. R. Likens, from the

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LITERARY NOTES

The May St. Nicholas

The May St. Nicholas brings the first chapters of a jolly sequel to Mary Constance Du Bois' "The Lass of the Silver Sword." The new serial is entitled "The League of the Signet Ring," and the scenes are laid in a quaint old country seat on the banks of the Hudson, which has a secret room, discovered in a most fascinating way.

The number too, brings a talk on "Girls' Rooms," the first of a series of delightful sketches by Antoinette R. Perrett, with delightful illustrations by G. P. Perrett.

LADY BUGS A PARASITE

Los Angeles, Cal., April 18.—Millions of ladybugs are receiving free transportation on the various railroads while traveling from the state insects at Sacramento to the melon

fields of the Imperial valley.

Three consignments have passed through Los Angeles on the way to El Centro and other valley points, where they will be turned loose to browse upon aphides and other insect pests that harm the melon crops.

There are on hand in the insectary at Sacramento 52,000,000 ladybugs weighing in the aggregate more than a ton. These are to be distributed free among farmers who apply for them.

CHARLES E. PARNHAM

Charles Edgar Parnham died on Sunday morning at the Cottage hospital from pneumonia, aged 15 years 10 months 10 days. He was the son of William and Martha Parnham.

It seems poor judgment on the part of the city to take out are lights on dark streets and substitute small lamps that give about as much light as a jack-o'-lantern.

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## POET-CONVICT IS PARDONED

"John Carter" Is Freed From  
Minnesota Prison

TODAY IS HIS BIRTHDAY

Served Nearly Six Years of Ten-Year Sentence For Stealing Small Amount of Money When He Was Starving—Poetry in Prison Paper Interested Judge, Who Started Movement For His Freedom

St. Louis, April 18.—The poet who is known on the prison books and to all but a few persons as "John Carter" was released from the Minnesota state prison today, the pardon board having voted to commute the sentence of ten years which was given to the 40-year-old boy nearly six years ago for stealing \$24 when he was starving.

When commutation was decided upon the board set to work to calculate the time that might be allowed, under the regular procedure, for good behavior, and were at work at this when it was reported to them that Carter would be 24 years old on April 18. The members with quick unanimity voted to set the poet free then.

Judge Willis, whose interest in Carter's poetry in the Prison Mirror started the movement for the convict's release, retold the story of the prisoner's crime, his trial without an attorney, the refusal of the court to prove his statement that he was only 19 years old—he looked much older—of the development of his remarkable talent in writing and the interest taken in him by magazine editors and literary critics.

He read letters from several editors and a telegram which came only Saturday morning from Robert U. Johnson, editor of the Century Magazine, in which one of Carter's poems appeared this month. Johnson, who had written a letter to the board previously, said in his telegram:

"Comment of many newspapers and persons convinces me that public opinion will sustain your honorable body in releasing John Carter. My appeal is made, not because he is a poet but because of his manly letters and because his youthful crime has already been grievously expiated."

It is Carter's intention to seek a position as a musician, but he would do magazine work "if tempted," he said.

His first thought, he said, was to get employment playing the piano or the clarinet. He does both well. He had no aversion to writing, he said, but he did not believe the remuneration very large.

"I'll go to England for a visit," he said, "but will return and make this country my home."

## FOREIGNERS IN FLIGHT

Buildings Owned by Them in Chang Sha Are Burned by Rioters

Chang Sha, China, April 18.—All the foreign-owned buildings in Chang Sha have been destroyed by fire, with the exception of the British consulate. All the buildings rented by the foreigners have been looted.

The Chinese officials issued a proclamation that they were unable to protect the lives and property of foreigners, and thereupon all foreigners made haste to leave the city. So far as is known, no foreign resident lost his life.

The governor of Hu-Nan province, Won Tehung-Shu, and his son were killed and several other government officials fled. The riots began on April 13, when the famine sufferers looted the rice shops.

## WORLD ENDS TOMORROW

At Least That Is the Prediction of Holy Rollers' Prophesies

Duxbury, Mass., April 18.—By the courtesy of Prophets Eva Brown, the Holy Rollers learned that the end of the world will come at 15 minutes before noon on Tuesday, April 19.

To prepare for the end, sixteen converts waded out into the frigid water of the mill pond at Ashdod Sunday and were forced beneath the water. In the triple baptism of the trinitarians, while a rejoicing multitude stood upon the bank and sang.

Men and women of 65 went through the ordeal, as well as girls from 18 to 25 years of age, 15-year-old boys and one little girl only 8 years old.

Two Acres Leveled by Explosion  
Willsville, N. Y., April 18.—A magazine of the Du Pont company in Fulmer Valley containing 800 quarts of nitroglycerine was blown to atoms. One man was killed and the whole wodge covering two acres were leveled to the ground. Many windows were shattered a mile away.

Tugmen's Strike Declared Off  
New York, April 18.—After slowly simmering under the strike of tugboat captains and pilots against the Central Railroad of New Jersey, Lehigh Valley, Lackawanna, and Baltimore and Ohio railroads, begun nearly three weeks ago, was formally declared off.

## SUDDENLY SEES TULIPS

Blind Returns to Girl Who Had Been Blind Since Thanksgiving

Detroit, April 18.—Red tulips in a florist's window were the first objects to greet the eyes of 14-year-old Norma Bentley after she had been totally blind since the day before last Thanksgiving.

"I can see, mamma, I can see!" the child cried suddenly as she was being led along the street by her mother. And she removed the big goggles that had been shielding her eyes.

"What do you see, my child?" the mother asked doubtfully.

"Red tulips," laughed the little girl in delight. Then she became quiet and thoughtful as the second object that met her view was a blind man.

Doctors attribute the child's blindness to aneuria and say that the return of sight followed the building up of her constitution.

## REGISTERED MAIL STOLEN

Southern Pacific Train Held Up by Masked Men in California

Beneola, Cal., April 18.—The China-Japan mail, which left San Francisco over the Southern Pacific railway for the east Saturday night, was held up by two masked men at Sprig, two miles east of here, early Sunday and robbed of nine pouches of registered mail. After getting the mail sacks, the robbers cut the engine loose from the train and sent it wild, throttle open, down the main track to the east.

In the direct path of the engine was a section of passenger train No. 5, west bound, heavily loaded. But for the presence of mind of a telegraph operator at Suisun, a collision would have taken place. The engine was thrown into a ditch in the nick of time.

## CLAIM FOR \$17,000 GROWS TO \$100,000

Verdict Against Railroad After Twenty Years of Litigation

San Francisco, April 18.—Ending litigation which dragged through a dozen courts, from the superior court of Idaho through the federal tribunals and to the supreme court of the United States, during a period of twenty years, the United States circuit court of appeals for the Ninth district handed down a decision awarding \$100,000 damages against the Northern Pacific railroad to Joseph H. Boyd of Spokane.

The claim, originally for \$17,000, was for the payment of construction work for the Coeur d'Alene Railway and Navigation company. Interest and charges brought the sum up to the amount awarded to Boyd by the court.

## RIGHT TO CHANGE MIND

Not Conceded to Women Where Court Proceedings Are Concerned

New York, April 18.—The right of a woman to change her mind does not extend to proceedings in court, according to a ruling by Justice Blanchard of the supreme court. He denied the request of Mrs. Mabel C. Golding, wife of a millionaire real estate operator, to reopen a suit for separation which was dismissed at her own request. Blanchard said:

"The plaintiff moves to have the case restored on the calendar on the ground, as I gather from the papers, that she has changed her mind. That is a privilege claimed by the sex, and generally accorded to it, but not without exception. She seeks to undo without legal reason the solemn act of this court. The motion is denied."

## BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD

Great Feat of Burgess Aeroplane in Its Initial Flight

Newburyport, Mass., April 18.—Three successive aeroplane flights by A. M. Herring of New York and W. S. Burgess at the Plum Island aviation field Sunday created a record for heavier than air machines when the big machine started on each when the big machine started on each one of its three flights by its own power on skids while resting on the ground.

The successful flight is the culmination of three years' steady planning by the two inventors who made the flights, which marked the opening of the aeroplane era in New England.

## OFF FOR MT. MCKINLEY

Advance Guard of Parker's Expedition Leaves For Seattle

New York, April 18.—Belmore Brown left for Seattle as the advance guard of Professor Herschel Parker's expedition to Mt. McKinley. Parker will leave April 24 to join him. Waldemar Grassi of Columbus, H. L. Tucker of the Appalachian club and several guides will constitute the party. They will leave for Alaska in May.

Professor Parker intends to map the entire territory near Mt. McKinley and will attempt the ascent over the route Dr. Cook says he followed.

## DEATH OF NAVY FOOTBALL VICTIM

Annapolis, Md., April 18.—Midshipman Earl Wilson, the navy football player, is dead. He was injured Oct. 16 in the game against Villa Nova college and had made a plucky fight for life ever since.

## Utah Crops Suffer From Frost

Salt Lake City, April 18.—Heavy crop losses from frost in Utah are reported. In some places less than 10 percent of the fruit crop will be saved.

## RUMOR ABSURD, SAYS ALDRICH

Ill Health Will Not Retire  
Rhode Island Senator

BRAYTON ENTERS DENIAL

Declares That Aldrich Will Be a Candidate For Re-election and Certainly Be Elected—Wife Wants Him to Abandon Politics, but Son Expresses the Belief That His Father Will Die in the Toga

Providence, April 18.—The report, supposed to have emanated from Washington, that Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island intends to retire after March 3, 1911, created a hubbub of political excitement throughout Rhode Island. Republicans generally, though split on the question of the desirability of retaining "the general manager of the United States" in the senate, were of the undivided belief that Aldrich would not retire.

A prominent member of the state central committee, who would not permit his name to be used, ridiculed the idea of Aldrich retiring at the end of his term, saying the rumor was baseless and false, and adding: "But see General Brayton. He is in a position to deny it."

General Brayton, questioned upon the subject, said: "Senator Aldrich is not going to retire. My own opinion is that he will be a candidate for re-election. If he is, he will certainly be elected."

Senator Aldrich himself said: "My health is the best. I have no complaint to make on that score. Such a basis for retirement is absurd." When asked the direct question if he was going to retire, the senator answered: "That is a bridge we will have to cross when we come to it."

The statement of Aldrich was made at his home at Warwick, R. I. It was taken by all the Republican leaders of the state who were seen later as corroboration of their own opinions regarding the future policy of Aldrich.

Former Governor Brown declares that the senator's health is robust, and that there has not been a time for years when he was more desirous of completing a cherished work and therefore more certain of remaining in Washington.

A son of the senator said: "There is nothing much the matter with the senator, but when he went on that financial campaign out west his stomach went back on him just a little. That, however, will never put him out of the senate. Mrs. Aldrich has wanted him to retire for years. She very much wished that he would abandon politics and the senate, but it is my own private opinion that he will die wearing the toga."

Chairman Fitzsimmons of the Democratic committee said: "You couldn't drive Senator Aldrich out with a club. He's there to fight and die in the senate."

## BRIBES ON "BOTTLE" BILL

Boston Minister Says That Several Senators Were Approached

Boston, April 18.—Rev. Herbert S. Johnson of the Warren avenue Baptist church made the startling statement that he has positive proof that not only one but several state senators had been approached improperly to influence legislation in regard to the bar and bottle bill in the senate.

Mr. Johnson declared that he knows the names of the senators who were approached, but declines to make them public at this time. He stated that it will probably all come out later, with the names of the senators approached and those of the parties who approached them.

In regard to whether money was offered to the senators Johnson declines to state. He is in possession of much important evidence in regard to the matter, he says, but will not openly declare that actual money was offered.

## MEAT FROM AUSTRALIA

It Is Sold in New York Cheaper Than the Domestic Product

New York, April 18.—A good share of the available supply of Australian beef and mutton which reached New York was snapped up eagerly by housewives at prices said to range in most sales places from 3 to 5 cents below the prices asked for western meat of equal quality.

The importers who brought the meat to America declare that their export is a complete success. "The Australian meat is as good as or better than the western product," said one of the importers.

## VERMONT'S FIRST PELLAGRA CASE

Burlington, Vt., April 18.—What is said to be the first case of pellagra in Vermont has just been discovered at the Panny Allen hospital in this city. The victim is said to be the wife of a Middlebury farmer.

## RISE IN LONDON FOOD PRICES

London, April 18.—While American housekeepers complain of the high cost of meat, English housekeepers have also begun to discover that meat is slowly but surely increasing in price.

## THE NATIONAL GAME

National League

At St. Louis:	R	H	E
Pittsburgh	4	1	3
St. Louis	2	7	4
Batteries—Leever and Gibson; Harmon and Brosnan.			
At Cincinnati:	R	H	E
Chicago	9	13	1
Cincinnati	2	7	0
Batteries—McIntire and Needham; Gaspar, Cantwell and Clarke.			

Won. Lost. P. C.

Boston	2	1	.667
Philadelphia	2	1	.667
Pittsburgh	2	1	.667
Cincinnati	2	2	.500
Chicago	2	2	.500
St. Louis	1	2	.333
Brooklyn	1	2	.333
New York	1	2	.333

American League Standing

Cleveland	2	1	.667
Washington	2	1	.667
Boston	1	1	.500
Chicago	1	1	.500
New York	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Detroit	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	1	2	.333

## ROOSEVELT IN HUNGARY

He Is Warmly Welcomed as the Apostle of Liberty and Peace

Buda Pest, April 18.—Hungary received Theodore Roosevelt with open arms after he crossed the frontier, popular enthusiasm, according to the newspaper editors, exceeding anything since the days of Louis Kossuth.

The journey after Roosevelt left the train at Pressburg, to spend the afternoon with Count Apponyi, assumed almost the character of a triumphal procession.

The entire population of the ancient capital of Hungary turned out, the mayor and other city authorities greeting the ex-President of the United States as the apostle of liberty and peace.

## UNCLE SAM REFUSES TO PAY WOOD'S BILL

Money Spent For Entertainment of Foreign Soldiers

Washington, April 18.—The treasury department has decided that if an American general invites military and naval attaches of foreign governments to look at government military maneuvers, with lunch thrown in, this government will not foot the bill.

The point was raised over the sum of \$98.05, which was expended by General Wood for lunches and other kitchen courtesies for foreign military observers during the maneuvers in Massachusetts. As the money was undoubtedly spent, the question arises, who is to pay it? The government says it won't.

## WITH HUMAN "MATERIAL"

Doctors Have Made Experiments Which Are In Nature of Torture

Philadelphia, April 18.—As the result of investigations ordered in this city it has been revealed that 160 children, inmates of Blockley, the great Philadelphia hospital, and of St. Vincent's home for orphan children, mostly very young infants, and even babies less than a year old have been used as human "material" for purposes of experimental research by physicians of the William Pepper laboratory of the University of Pennsylvania.

The experimenters admit that permanent disturbance of vision was sure to follow in one of the experiments and that had practised upon an orphan, and that one test, if pursued, might lead even to the destruction of the eyesight.

The result of this campaign of experimentation on helpless, destitute and orphan babies was to bring about friction between the management of the hospital and the physicians in charge of the medical department, which has resulted in the resignation of the entire board of physicians.

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## RUSSELL TO DIVIDE FORTUNE

"Fresco Dan," Extremely Poor a Month Ago, Will Become Rich

Melrose, Mass., April 18.—"Fresco Dan," who one short month ago was a poor fruit plover in the west, is now officially known by the members of the Russell family as Daniel Blake Russell of Melrose, estimated to be worth from \$250,000 to \$350,000 in his own name.

The metamorphosis from a laborer to a man of affluence took actual form yesterday during a visit of the Fresco man to the Russell home.

William C. Russell, who one week ago recognized in the seamed countenance of the claimant his long missing brother, made the announcement to the guests assembled that he had made up his mind to share equally with him the Russell estate.

The Russell estate is variously estimated to be worth from \$500,000 to \$700,000, so that "Fresco Dan," as he has been called, will become one of the wealthy citizens of Melrose.

## FIRE STARTS IN JAIL

County Building, Church, Store and Thirteen Homes Are Burned

Hyde Park, Vt., April 18.—Driven by a strong wind, a fire that started in the county jail here spread until the jail, courthouse, town hall, Congregational church, one store and thirteen residences had been laid in ashes. Twenty families are homeless.

The fire started presumably from a defective stovepipe between the first and second stories of the jail, and gained headway so rapidly that efforts to save the building were soon seen to be useless and attention was directed to endangered neighboring structures.

The two prisoners, both minor offenders, whom the jail held, were released and turned to with a will to help fight the flames, which did damage estimated at \$100,000. Neighboring towns sent their fire fighting forces to aid in subduing the flames.

## COLEMAN'S COUNSEL IS MUCH SURPRISED

Bank Shortage of \$129,000 Is Not Yet Accounted For

Cambridge, Mass., April 18.—Except to express great surprise at the amount of the shortage which he declares is greatly in excess of the sum he expected it to be, William A. Morse, counsel for George W. Coleman, refuses to discuss the report of Receiver Bates that the liabilities of the defunct National bank of Cambridge will amount to \$209,000. This sum, so much greater than the most liberal estimate had placed it, and \$129,000 more than accounted for in the confession Coleman is said to have made, is a matter of general comment in court circles.

This unexpectedly large shortage means that the stockholders of the bank will lose every dollar invested, as well as a 100 percent assessment upon their holdings, and that the 800 depositors will get no more than 75 cents on the dollar for the face value of their accounts.

## WEDS HER PROTEGE

Widow of Seventy-Eight-Year-Old Man Becomes Bride of Boy

Paris, April 18.—Mrs. George Ovington, the wealthy widow of Edward J. Ovington of Ovington, Brothers, bric-a-brac dealers, New York, startled Paris society by marrying "between two trains" a young musician, Reinhold Von Warlich, a boy whom she had educated for a musician.

Mrs. Ovington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mæze of Louisville, and in spite of the fact that she is no longer a girl she has a great amount of the zeal of the native Kentuckian. With her late husband, who died last year at the age of 78, she has lived much in Europe. She has one son, Landreau Ovington, aged 14, who was born in Berlin.

## CHURCH TO BE AUCTIONED

Middleboro, Mass., April 18.—The beautiful new Advent Christian church in this town will go under the hammer May 14, as the members of the congregation have been unable to raise the sum of \$2500, which it is alleged is due a firm of lumber dealers.

## EARTHQUAKE DANGER IS OVER

San Jose, C. R., April 18.—Scientists believe that the danger from seismic disturbances is passed for the present. Sixty-two movements of the earth were felt during three days. Nearly every building was damaged and a few lives were lost.

## NEW ALASKAN GOLD FIELD

Fairbanks, Alaska, April 18.—The Iditarod gold fields have aroused much interest here and the greatest stampede since the big rush to Fairbanks six years ago is expected to begin with the opening of navigation in May.

## THE WEATHER

Almanac, Tuesday, April 19.  
Sun rises—5:09; sets—5:39.  
Moon sets—3:58 a. m.  
High water—7:30 a. m.; 8:15 p. m.  
Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy; moderate east to southeast winds.

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## TENNESSEE'S DISGRACE

Governor Malcolm R. Patterson of Tennessee is getting a great deal of notoriety as the result of his pardon of Col. Duncan Cooper, who was under sentence of twenty years' imprisonment for the murder of Ex-Senator Edward W. Carmack, Cooper and his son met Carmack on the street and shot him to death. They were convicted, although Patterson was a witness for the defense. On their appeal the court gave the son a new trial but affirmed the sentence for the father—and then came the pardon.

Senator Carmack was the bitter political enemy of Patterson. Cooper is his intimate personal and political friend. In his pardon the governor asserts that he has read all the evidence in the case and is of the opinion that neither of the defendants is guilty. The effect of the governor's act is to declare that murder in that state is safe if committed for a political cause, by a political friend of the governor, with its victim his political enemy.

We do not recall any previous instance anywhere in which the act of granting a pardon was coupled with an insult to the jurors and judges who had passed upon the convicted man's case. While there can be no doubt of the legal right of the governor, of Tennessee to pardon a man convicted of murder, if convinced of his innocence, the action of Governor Patterson in issuing this pardon is atrocious and must prove a political help to his opponents.

Governor Patterson's act has called attention to the fact that he has issued an immense number of pardons since he became governor, it is asserted more than have been granted in the same time by all the other governors in the United States, unless count is made of those pardons issued under various statutes for the purpose of putting a convict on probation or granting a ticket-of-leave.

But Tennessee is not the only place where the pardoning privilege and power are abused. There are other states where a ten-year sentence in the courts is understood by the public as meaning two and one-half years, and where a life sentence means less than five years.

The governor of Tennessee has disgraced himself and his state, but there are northern states whose governors and people will do well not to throw any stones at Patterson and his state till they have taken stock of the amount of glass in their own houses.

## BIRDBEYE VIEWS

Evidently it is one thing to think you can see Halley's comet with the unaided eye and quite another to really see it.—Bridford Journal.

Now what in Bridford is an "unclothed eye"? And what kind of clothes do the eyes wear in Bridford?

The war spirit between Peru and Ecuador seems to be subsiding under the influence of the officials of the two governments. A dispatch received by the state department from the United States consulate at Lima states that an amicable settlement with Ecuador for damages growing out of the recent riotous demonstration against the Peruvian consulate and Peruvian citizens at Guayaquil is very probable. It is also said that the cabinet crisis at Lima has been

inverted, and on the whole there is a growing feeling that a peaceful settlement of the trouble with Ecuador ultimately will be arranged.

Secretary Meyer, in a communication to the House of Representatives, has endorsed a former opinion of the navy department that the construction of naval vessels on the Great Lakes would constitute a violation of the Rush-Bagot convention of 1817. This statement was in reply to a House resolution.

## AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

The North is Better Off  
Maryland may disfranchise the negro. Somehow or other "closing the door of hope" seems to improve the condition of the colored states in most of the "closed door" states. Perhaps it will be the same in Maryland. But the real issue in the franchise agitation in Maryland is not directly the negro question at all. It is the question whether the state shall continue to have the advantage of two live competing parties or submit to the one-party domination prevalent in some other Southern states.—New Orleans Item.

Sense for an Innocent Noddle  
O Lord, now that everything is coming our way, purge every democratic soul of hot air and vainglory and insert large instalments of common sense in every Democratic cranium and oh, remember Lord, our proneness to make fools of ourselves just when we have the world by the tail and a downhill pull, and see that we don't get in bad this time.—Houston Post.

Maryland's "Treason"  
New York Democrats do not sympathize at all with this treasonable act on the part of their Maryland brethren. We purpose to elect a Democratic governor in this state this coming autumn; and to send to the Sixty-second congress a Democratic majority. To do this we seek the co-operation of all good citizens. If we approach them with treasonable utterances of the Maryland Democrats on our lips we should expect and deserve their scorn and contempt. The party that was loyal to the Union in the sad days of the Civil war, that contributed McClellan and Hancock to the army, will continue in good faith to uphold the constitution of the United States as it is written, for it is the proudest heritage of Democracy.—Ulster Observer.

"A SEA OF TROUBLES"  
Rivermouth Boys to Give Play at North Church Chapel

"A Sea of Troubles" will be presented by the Rivermouth boys for the benefit of the new piano for the North church chapel Wednesday evening, April 20, at the chapel. The following is the cast of characters: Godolphus Gout, an invalid.....Ellsworth Thayer  
Hiram Orcutt, a Yankee.....Harold Littlefield  
What's His Name Thingamy, a man of memory.....Frank Massey  
Byron Bobolink, a budding poet.....Raymond Hobbs  
Mike McLane, an Emerald Isle man.....William Murch  
Stammering Steve, a professor of elocution.....Theodore Butler  
Robert, Gout's nephew.....Lemuel Pope  
Sam, Gout's servant.....George Shaw

COMPLETING THE WORK  
Eastern Division of Boston and Maine Railroad Will Soon Have Block System Working All Along the Line

The Boston and Maine railroad are now completing the work on the block signals on the Eastern division between Kittery Junction and Spinnery's Switch.

With this space of the line equipped and in operation the block system will then cover the division between Boston and Portland.

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## A TIMELY TOPIC.

BY FRANK R. WOOD, In Agricultural Journal.

### Potatoes and Corn

WHILE there is much difference of opinion as to the rotation of crops on a medium heavy loam, we have had best results from following corn with potatoes, always being careful to heavily manure the ground for the corn and not use any stable manure at all for the potato crop. By heavily manuring we mean giving the soil more than will be required by the corn and more than will be necessary to make good to the soil any reserve fertility the corn takes from it; in other words, so that there will be some of the virtue of the manure left for the benefit of the potatoes. For the latter crop we confine ourselves to an application of mixed fertilizer, consisting of sulphate ammonia, bone meal and sulphate of potash, applied at the rate of 800 pounds to the acre. There may be no objection to the use of stable manure for the potato crop, provided one can obtain it well rotted, but the fresh manure is a scab breeder, and we never use it for potatoes.

## PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

C Concerning the Proposed "Return of the Sons and Daughters" To the Editor of the Herald:

There's always a right and a wrong way,

Be sure that you enter the right, If you don't your route is a long way, And your battle an uphill fight.

"Lots of good advice is wasted because it is free"—but the writer submits a few hints to the would-be promoters of the plan to celebrate by a "Return of the Sons and Daughters" in July next. While in no sense opposing the spirit of 1853 and 1873, when, with intense enthusiasm, we welcomed with hearts stirred by emotion and pride the home-coming of those who once again had turned their faces homeward, we question the expediency of an attempt to duplicate the scenes of those earlier successes, at present.

There is no evidence that the move is in any sense a popular one. One can imagine that the scheme might arouse an interest at once on the mere idea of sentiment, but the writer ventures the assertion that public sentiment, if sought for among the intelligent, influential citizens and taxpayers of Portsmouth, will be decidedly against the proposition. It is a painful thought that the citizenship of our city, in its very decided changes from the conditions of thirty-seven and fifty-seven years ago, is not of that character which gave impetus to the "Welcome Home" of the olden days, and which, in every plan and feature, proved events of credit and worthy history.

Sentiment is very essential to the carrying out of such an affair as one would naturally aspire to. Important, first of all, is a liberal contribution of money, certainly not less than \$5,000 would be needed. One would be very optimistic to venture the belief that any such sum could be raised by subscription among our citizens when sentiment is not an auxiliary.

The proposed appropriation of \$1,000 by our city government, will be purely opposed as "undesirable, and if perchance should such a scheme be "railroaded" through our city government, it is quite likely that an injunction would follow. Better pull out the "entering wedge" of the propositions, and thus intelligently silence the clamors of a misguided few, who from inexperience, though doubtless good intent, have "bulldozed better than they knew."

Financially, Portsmouth is not in condition to indulge in luxuries. The citizens are not willing to purchase any such expensive celebration. It requires many a "shoulder to the wheel" to complete such a round of pleasure, and the moving power would not be forthcoming. The celebrations of 1853, and 1873 were grand events, attainable only through the enthusiasm, cooperative responses of an interested community.

Such conditions as these cannot be aroused in Portsmouth at the present time.

To attempt and fail would not add desired fame to our city. Let us hold fast to present improved financial conditions in city affairs, and await a more favorable opportunity to welcome home the absent sons and daughters.

## ADVISOR.

Where Are the Gates?  
Editor Herald:

May I ask why the gates of the South pond, which were carried away in the high tide of December 26; have not been replaced? The flats of the pond at low water are now exposed and with the warm weather are beginning to smell badly. The residents of that section would heartily appreciate the replacing of the gates so that the water can be retained in the pond.

SOUTH END.

## TO PRESENT NEW CONTRACT

The brewery workmen's union are, it is understood, to present a new schedule to all of the local breweries to be acted on the first of May. It is understood that the new contract will call for an increase in wages.

## THE ABSENT ONE.

They sit around the cheerful hearth, The young and old, And happiness seems there, if earth Can happiness unfold.

The father hup, though scores of years Have o'er him sped, The mother lovely still appears

Though youth has long since fled, Three charming girls, their parents' joy, Are gathered there,

But where is he, the dark-haired boy? Ah! well may they ask—Where?

He that has been a father's pride, A mother's care, Whom loving sisters have beside

Bestowed on him their share Of warmest love quite unalloyed With aught untrue,

Or virtue nor of faith devoid In absence, silence, too, Yes, of that loving family

One member strayed, And whether dead or living, he, The past has left unsaid,

Around the smiling hearth we see A vacant chair, And though so bright all seems to be,

Scant happiness is there, For parents' hearts their loss regret, And sisters' too,

For him, the absent one, they fret While hope their thoughts imbue, Though years have come and years

Have gone No tidings come Of him, the much-lamented one, To cheer the sad, sad home,

Still hoping, hoping, hoping e'er, They trust one day That bliss shall triumph o'er despair,

The loved and long-lost stray Will safe to home again return, Like him of old

The prodigal, who, sorrow-worn, Came back to childhood's fold, —J. E. Moore.

## BOOM FOR THE SHOALS

A boom is promised in the summer business at the Shoals this year, in spite of the unfavorable end of last summer's business.

A contract has been let for an addition of forty rooms to the Oceanic hotel, Star Island.

The new life saving station is under way.

Work on a new \$40,000 breakwater will be started very soon. This will run from Cedar Island to Star Island, and will make an excellent harbor for small boats.

There is already a 900-foot breakwater running from Smuttynose Island to Cedar Island, and eventually the islands will become a great shelter for the coastwise shipping.

## AUTOMOBILE LICENSES

The following Portsmouth people have taken out automobile licenses during the past week:

1195 Alvah C. Amazeen, 10 hp Cadillac.  
2082 Oliver H. Ham, 18 hp Overland.  
2117 William O. Jenkins, 12 hp Maxwell.  
2813 Henry S. Mansur, 18 hp Buick.  
1173 Albert E. Rand, 10 hp Cadillac.  
3364 William J. Shuttleworth, 30 hp Cadillac.  
4172 Hayden E. Sweet, 50 hp Ford.  
1251 Nathan Whalley, 25 hp Cadillac.  
4197 Fred L. Wood, 30 hp Cadillac.

## Two Vital Things Required in Treating Skin Diseases

In treating and curing Eczema and other well defined skin diseases, two vital things must be done. One is to exclude dust, germs and air from the diseased parts, and the other is to set up the healing process at the same time. The new medical preparation called Cadum accomplishes both these results so effectively that the itching is stopped as soon as it is applied, and the sore parts heal up in a wonderfully short time. Any one with skin trouble can test Cadum by getting a 5 cent box at any drug store, and thus personally realize the power of this new compound, which is just as effective in the cure of pimples, blotches, blackheads, eruptions, acne, herpes, scaly skin, rash, sores, chafings, etc.

## MRS. WEBSTER HURD

### Death of Former Portsmouth Woman at Brookline

Word has been received in this city of the death on Sunday, April 17, at her home, 93 Kilsyth Road, Brookline, of Mrs. Fidelity P. Hurd, widow of the late Webster Hurd. She was the remaining survivor of the four children of Jethro Locke of Rye and Martha (Mason) Locke. At an early age they with their parents moved from Rye to Portsmouth. One child, John, died while a young man; the three others, Cornelius, Fidelity and Emily, with their widowed mother later removed to Boston when the firm of Locke and Hurd was formed by Cornelius and his brother-in-law, Cornelius and Emily never married and the three children remained together in one family until four years ago when the death of Emily came suddenly. In April, followed four months later by that of her brother after a long illness. Mr. Hurd had died some fifteen years previous. For the past four years Mrs. Hurd had made her home with Professor Charles E. Locke of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The three had intense interest in the Locke Family Association of Rye and up to the time of the illness of Cornelius they were regular attendants at the annual meetings and since his death Mrs. Hurd had resumed her custom. She was well known to all the members and her pleasant face will be greatly missed. During her brother's long illness she gave him constant care and the close confinement together with sudden shock of her sister's death caused a weakness from which she never fully recovered and to which her death may be partly attributed. With her death that branch of the family becomes extinct.

Services will be held at her late residence at 1030 A. M. on Tuesday, April 19, after which the remains will be brought to Portsmouth on the train leaving Boston at 1 p. m., and interment will immediately follow in the family lot in the South cemetery.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for Children's Coughing, It soothes the child, softens the gums, loosens the bowels, cures whooping cough, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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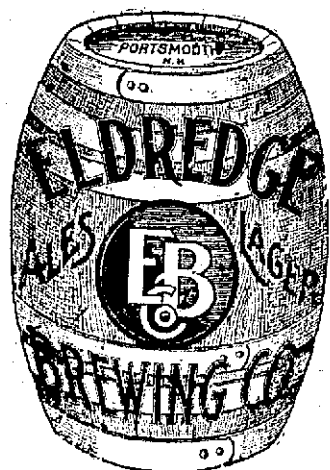
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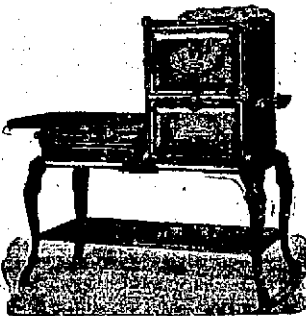
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**Samuel W. Emery of This City Presents His Name for Primaries.**

Samuel W. Emery of this city has made formal announcement that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Solicitor, to be voted for at the primaries, Sept. 6.

He has sent out the following letter to leading Republicans in the county:

I have decided to present myself to the Republican voters of Rockingham county as a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Solicitor, to be voted for at the primaries, Sept. 6.

I am, therefore, writing you to ask you for support and aid in my effort to obtain the nomination.

And as I am seeking your assistance it is no more than fair that I should acquaint you with some facts in my own history, which you should know.

I am now twenty-six years old, and was graduated from the Boston University Law School, in June, 1904, passed the New Hampshire bar examination the same month, but as I was under age, was not admitted to practice until December, 1904. Since that

time I have practiced law in Portsmouth. I was born in this city, educated in the public schools and have always lived here.

I do not lay claim to any extraordinary ability, but I do promise if elected, I shall do my best to merit the confidence and approval of the citizens of this county.

I hope you will give me your support in my canvass, and whatever you may do for me, I shall always appreciate and be grateful for.

Sincerely yours,

SAMUEL W. EMERY.

Mr. Emery was born in Portsmouth, Dec. 2, 1882, and has practiced law here since Dec., 1904. He has many friends throughout the county and in this city who wish him success, and it is quite certain that he will be a formidable antagonist in the campaign for the nomination.

Should he be chosen, county solicitor is certain that the duties of that office will be well and carefully administered, with fairness to everyone. At present Mr. Emery is acting judge of the police court.—Pol. Adv.

**FUNERAL OF  
HENRY B. SHAW**

The funeral of Henry B. Shaw of Kittery was held in the Second Methodist church in that town at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon and the services were attended by one of the largest number of townspeople and friends ever called together there on a similar occasion.

The church being without a minister owing to the removal of the Rev. Daniel Onstott to Kansas, and the Methodist conference at Portland having not yet closed, the Rev. Geo. W. Farmer, minister of the Portsmouth Methodist church, was called to conduct the service, being assisted by the Rev. John A. Goss of York Corner, a friend of the deceased. All were impressed with the appropriate and sympathetic discourse by Rev. Mr. Farmer, and the kind words of Rev. Mr. Goss.

A quartet consisting of Messrs. Alfred Gookins and Charles W. Philbrick, Mrs. Percival Rogers and Mrs. Oscar Clark sang two selections, "Some Day We'll Understand" and "Meet Me There."

Riverside Lodge of Odd Fellows and Dirigo Encampment and Constitution lodge, Knights of Pythias, of which Mr. Shaw was a member, were largely represented, more than 100 Odd Fellows marching from their lodge room to the church and accompanying the body to its last resting place after the services at the church, where their own burial exercises were carried out with sincere expressions.

The pall bearers were from the organizations mentioned, two from each, and were Messrs. George H. Marden, Fred Dismore, Stephen Boulter, Frank E. Donnell, James McAndrews, Harry Longstaff.

The regard in which Mr. Shaw was held was shown to some extent by the many floral remembrances. These tributes seemed perhaps to make the occasion brighter, and formed a hand-

some surrounding for the otherwise sorrowful event.

The body was laid to rest in the family lot in Orchard Grove cemetery, Mr. Oliver W. Ham of this city being the undertaker and funeral director. Among the floral tributes received at the home prior to the service were the following:

Pillow, marked "husband," wife; pillow, marked "father," children; wreath, marked "brother," Mrs. William Chase, York; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shaw and daughter; standing wreath, marked "shopmate," from the workmen at the navy yard; spray of pinks and roses, Ladies' Aid and Epworth League, Second Methodist church, Kittery; shower bouquet, Mrs. Henry Cragan, Mrs. Garville Bridges and Miss Abbie Herbert, all of Portsmouth; pinks and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Asher D. Damon; shower bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Dow, Lynn, Mass.; large flat bouquet of pinks and ferns, Dr. John D. Carty, Kittery Point; mound, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Emery; pinks and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. John Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Grant; pillow, from neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moody, Mr. and Mrs. George Newson, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Boulter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heaney, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Philbrick, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Philbrick, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wilcox, Albert D. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goodwin; shower bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leslie Fernald, bouquet, Mrs. Effie Blaisdell and Miss Ida Blaisdell, Portsmouth; bouquet, Mrs. Jacob Fletcher and Miss Mary Bond, Kittery Point; spray of pinks, Franklin H. Bond, Kittery Point; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Stanley; calla lilies, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Damon and family; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Leon E. Robbins; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mahie; mound, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Perry and Mrs. Susan Perry, Kittery Point; roses, Mr. John Foden, Portsmouth; mound, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Farwell, Kittery, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Irish, Newburyport, Mass.; shower bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Swett and Mr. Samuel Edwards.

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**ALDRICH WILL  
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Washington, April 18.—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island today personally confirmed the report that he will retire at the end of his present term.

**KITTERY LETTER**

(Continued from Page One.)

**KITTERY TIGERS**

	ab	r	bl	e
Ra. Brackett c.....	3	0	1	0
Blaney p.....	3	2	2	0
Anderson lb.....	4	0	1	1
Morrow 2b.....	4	0	1	1
Heaney 3b.....	3	0	1	0
Ra. Brackett ss.....	3	1	1	0
Phampton cf.....	4	0	1	0
Grogan rf.....	3	0	2	0
Paul lf.....	4	2	2	0

Total..... 31 5 12 2  
Three base hits by Pruett, G. Witham, Paul, and two by Grogan. Three two-base hits by E. R. Seaward. Pruett struck out four and Blaney three. A. Fletcher and W. Seaward kicked the dust up clear around the bases, and arrived at home plate while Morrow and Anderson were throwing the ball in space. These two errors gave the game to M. G. L., as the score was tied in the sixth inning. Umpire Hodgdon.

**THE WATER FRONT**

Port of Portsmouth, April 18  
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Returning, Leave Boston—7.30, 8.47, 9.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 4.56, 6.00, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—8.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.15, 4.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

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FOR MANCHESTER AND CONCORD—3.30 a. m., 12.40, 5.25 p. m.

Returning, Leave Concord—7.45, 10.25 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

FOR YORK BEACH—7.40, 11.00 a. m., 3.05, 5.35 p. m.

Returning, Leave York Beach—6.45, 3.5 a. m., 1.00, 3.45 p. m.

FOR SOMERSWORTH AND ROCHES-TER—5.55, 9.45 a. m., 2.42, 5.23 p. m.

Returning, Leave Rochester—8.10, 12.1, 9.45 a. m., 5.23 p. m.

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Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m., 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 6.00, 7.45 p. m. Sunday—10.00, 10.15 a. m., 2.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leaves Portsmouth—6.25, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 1.45, 2.20, 3.30, 4.15, 4.45, 5.30, 6.30, 10.00 p. m. Sunday—10.30, 11.00, 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.30, 11.00, 11.50 a. m., 12.30 p. m.

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\*For Stratham car barn only.

THE SKELETON  
IN THE CLOSET.A Rattling of Its Bones That Ter-  
rified Its Keepers.By GEORGE ETHELBERT WALSH.  
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ciation.)

Beverly Westlake drifted into Lakeville an obscure, poverty stricken man and by dint of hard work and shrewd business investments prospered until he was by common consent counted the leading citizen and merchant of that enterprising metropolis.

Jack Lecon entered Lakeville under a Pullman car. Jack was waiting on Grand street when Beverly Westlake swung around the corner and walked toward him.

Jack's first impulse was to vanish, but on second thought he remained passive and motionless, staring in surprise and wonder at the approaching figure. His eyes were bulging, and his mouth stood agape. With the con-



THERE WAS A COVER LIMPNESS TO THE

ident swing of the successful and well satisfied man, Beverly Westlake walked along, scarcely noticing the silent beggar on the street—until the man's voice startled him violently from his mental repose.

"Hello, Peenby!" was the irreverent salute of Jack. "Why, you're some elegant! How'd ye get the lift?"

The leading merchant, philanthropist, financier and exponent of the higher success wheeled abruptly, stared at the questioner, turned red, then white, gripped his hands and moved forward as if to pass without a word though better of it, stopped and frowned and finally mopped his forehead with nervous agitation. Jack Lecon was all smiles and his manner as affable as a man who had called a bluff and knew he was stalking big game.

"Quite a bit of time since we met, Peenby," he continued, extending a hand, which Beverly ignored. "Some difference in us now, ain't there? You got the swell out all right and the finger to carry it out, but I—why, I ain't good for much, I'm just sick and down in luck."

The words trailed off into a whine. Then, with a sudden change of tone, Jack added, with a little triumph in his voice:

"But I got my discharge all right, and you didn't."

There was a remarkable and pitiful transformation in Mr. Westlake. The skin wrinkled, and the complexion turned a sickly red, dotted with yellowish and purplish spots.

"I say, Jack—Mr. Lecon," he stammered when he could control his voice. "What do you want—money?"

"I ain't no blasted aristocrat that I refuses it," leered Jack, with an ingratiating grin.

Mr. Westlake fumbled in his coat pockets and produced a roll of bills that caused poor Jack to gasp.

"Take this," said the merchant, extending a generous wad of the freshly minted green, "and—don't bother me again, Jack—Mr. Lecon, I mean—that is, if—Don't you want a ticket to the Pacific coast, where the climate is very agreeable at this season of the year? I'll furnish you with one."

But Jack Lecon was no quitter when on the easy trail of a victim. He was glibly and with much adroitness to the use of strong tonics. At such moments he tried to make love to Alice Westlake's brave and devoted wife, and openly flouted his benefactor. The uneasy head which wore the crown of riches was bowed under the burden thus placed so suddenly upon his shoulders. But for Alice he would have quit and confessed all.

"I'll go away, my dear," he groaned in agony of spirit, "or I'll kill myself, no, kill him! He's the devil incarnate!"

But Alice soothed and cautioned him against rashness. Imagine the mortification of having a low down brute installing himself in your home, insulting your wife and making free with your money and servants and always holding the threat of an awful exposure over your head—a veritable sword of Damocles, but ten times keener of edge and suspended not by a thread, but by a tiny spider's web.

"No, we cannot go away," Alice said

in a soft voice. "We must stay and bear our burden for the present. You have lived down your early disgrace and proved yourself a repentant man."

"But the law doesn't recognize that," bitterly complained the broken down capitalist. "If I escaped from prison before my time expired I'm still a criminal in the eyes of the law. Oh, if I had been patient a little longer!"

Alice comforted him with words of caressing affection, but the iron had entered his soul, and he continued to cry out:

"To think this drunken brute should have his freedom without fear of capture or exposure! I'll kill the wretch if I—"

"No, dear, you won't do any such thing—for my sake."

Jack's excesses became so disgusting in time that even sweet Alice's patience and endurance were sorely tried. Her faith in her sense of duty was showing signs of wavering when suddenly without warning Jack's skeleton kicked open the closet and fell sprawling on the floor.

The key was held by a quiet, thick-set man of dark complexion, who called one evening to interview Mr. Westlake in the quiet of his study. Alice was there and hung over her husband as if to protect him.

"Mr. Westlake," announced the quiet stranger, "you have in your employ a man of the name of Jack Lecon, I believe?"

Beverly winced a little at the word "employ," and he was inclined to laugh at the irony of the thrust. Yes, he was in his employ, but a rather expensive employee. He nodded, with a smile, to indicate his comprehension.

"Well, sir," confuted the stranger, "this man is a convict—escaped from the federal prison some months ago."

Beverly Westlake saw all kinds of pink and white spots, and he glanced up to see if the electric lights had changed their colors. Incidentally he felt the strangulating constriction of his wife's arms around his neck. He realized that he was pale and that his heart had almost ceased to beat.

"There is nothing to fear, Mr. Westlake. The house is surrounded, and we will capture him without any outcry. He is a desperate character—killed his guard when he escaped—and we have made special plans to capture him without danger to you or your household. I merely called on you to prepare your wife for any struggle that may follow. You understand?"

Yes, Beverly understood, and Alice too. "Alice," he said slowly, "you had better retire to your room. I will go with this man to find Jack."

Intuitively she caught his meaning. She hesitated but a moment and then kissed him as if to withdraw.

"I don't think we shall need your services," the officer said, with a confident air. "Our plans are all carefully laid, and by this time Jack Lecon should be a prisoner. I came here partly to engage your attention while my men secured him. I think now," consulting his watch, "the struggle must be over. We will go and see."

They passed through the great hall in solemn procession and then turned to mount the broad stairs to Jack's room. He lived in comfort and luxury away from the servants as a man set apart for special favors.

But they did not ascend the stairs. A swift figure glided down the polished marble and intercepted them—a figure that halted but an instant and then would have passed on with insistent purpose. The officer, startled by the movement, turned hurriedly and asked:

"What is it, Sheldon? Anything wrong?"

The gliding figure came to a reluctant halt and replied respectfully: "Yes, sir; he escaped and jumped out of the window. But Jansen and Holden must have him. They were below."

There was a hurried exit from the house, and Alice forgot her dignity and scant footgear. The moon was at its zenith outside, and the crisp wintery air made the blood tingle. The frozen ground was as hard as rock, and little frost bulbs gathered on every tree and shrub.

A voice from out of the muffled silence of the night smote their ears as they turned a corner of the house. "He jumped him, sir," it said calmly. "He humped and fell on his head—hurt a little, I guess."

They gathered around a dark heap on the silver frosted ground where the twisted limbs of a man were sprawled like the four corners of a star. There was a queer limpness to the neck when the head was raised, and Alice covered her eyes and shuddered. If she divined the meaning of it she did not confess it even to herself. It was Jansen who pronounced the verdict.

"Neck broken, I guess," he said coolly. "Yes, sir, and dead as a doornail." The leader of the men knelt over the prostrate form of Jack Lecon, and after a close examination he said, with finality in his voice:

"Yes, he's dead."

Turning toward the Westlakes, he said in way of explanation and apology: "I'm sorry we couldn't take him away without creating a scene. But I suppose now it must come out in the papers. The coroner must be summoned."

Alice drew a deep breath, and Beverly wiped the frost gathered on his mustache with a hand that trembled. His lips only mechanically muttered the commonplace words:

"You have only done your duty; officer—only your duty—and I thank you."

They turned slowly and walked up the steps of the spacious piazza and entered their palatial home. Their family skeleton was back in the closet and carefully nailed up and sealed. Would it ever break out again?

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## NORTH HAMPTON

The 1909 whist club was most enjoyably entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Fred Quimby. The first prize was won by Mrs. George L. Seavey with a score of 35, while Miss Lemira Hobbs, who held 34 points, received the second prize. Mrs. Chester Seavey received the consolation prize.

The G. G. G. G. club is arranging to give a masquerade dance the last of April and a progressive whist party and also sometime in May.

Miss Louise Webber Lord of Wells, Me., a native of Florida, has been secured to teach the East school.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred J. Chevalier celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage by a family party Wednesday.

Mrs. John W. Warner, in company with her sisters, Mrs. Herbert Philbrick of Portsmouth, Mrs. Samuel Godfrey and Mrs. Emma J. Young, of Hampton, spent Saturday in Ipswich, Mass., with their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Garland.

Mrs. Ernest G. Cole of Hampton, was the guest of Mrs. Fred Quimby on Tuesday.

The 1909 whist club holds its next meeting on Tuesday, April 26, with Miss Lucy Mayo Warner.

Chester Seavey is having the cellar and foundations prepared for his new house on Atlantic avenue, at North Hampton center.

John W. Warner has been in attendance at the state G. A. R. encampment at Concord this week, as a member of the council of administration.

Mrs. Chester E. Seavey visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira McRden, at Rye cBach, last week.

A government inspector has been riding with N. P. D. carrier, Lewis Chevalier to measure the length of the mail route.

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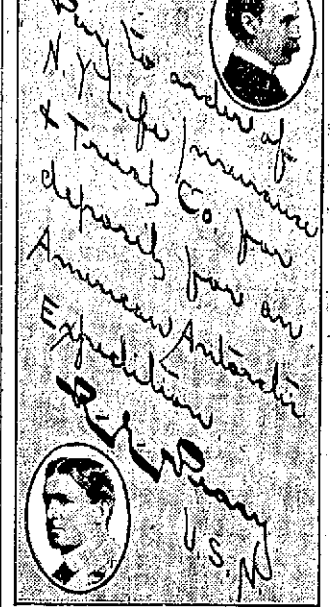
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An act of Commander Peary's in connection with the south pole quest



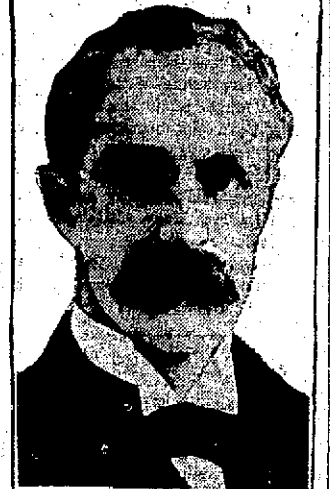
PEARY'S INDORSEMENT OF THE \$10,000 CHECK.

that will long be remembered was his generous donation to the fund for the expedition of the \$10,000 check presented to him in New York at Carnegie hall. A facsimile of the reverse side of the check, with Peary's indorsement, is shown in the accompanying illustration.

## PINCHOT'S TRIP.

Former Chief Forester Called to Europe to Meet Roosevelt.

Washington was just quieting down after the great battle in the house when it got another sensation—the trip to Europe of Gifford Pinchot to meet Colonel Roosevelt, the latter, it is reported, calling him to come. Since emerging from the African jungles the ex-president has received many letters regarding the fight now raging about Pinchot and Ballinger, and it is believed that the colonel decided that it should be Mr. Pinchot who should tell



GIFFORD PINCHOT.

him the facts as seen by the insurgents. In the last administration no one was closer personally to President Roosevelt than his chief forester. Mr. Pinchot was a member of the tennis cabinet, and on matters of general policy he was in frequent consultation with the president. On the subject of conservation the two worked hand in hand.

## A DIRIGIBLE GARAGE.

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Side Lights  
On Speaker  
Cannon

THE coming contest between a Jeffries and a Jansen has lost much of its interest. Of course it will no doubt prove a great contest, but for the red thing in scraps it is to Congress and not to Sam J. Ransomes that we must go. Take this recent 200 round battle between Speaker Cannon and the insurgents, for instance. What heavyweight ever lived who could long stand up in an affair of that kind? After the smoke of battle had lifted after the dead had been buried and the wounded tenderly cared for, one of the insurgents paid this tribute to the speaker:

"Uncle Joe is the best fighter I have ever seen in public life. I am against the speaker and against the house rules and have fought him on every issue, but I gladly take off my hat to him as a gallant old scrapper who is not afraid of a fight and a defeat."

After the all night struggle over the Norris resolution the speaker entered his room almost exhausted. His face showed the strain of the tremendous fight which he had been directing. The newspaper men asked him for a statement.

"I'm tired," said he, "this house of ours has talked about 175,000 words since the clock struck noon yesterday, mostly about me; but, like the mummy of old Ransomes, I haven't got a word



SPEAKER CANNON AS TALKER OF HIS ORATORICAL JOES.

to say. But I can dance a little step for you to show you that they haven't got the old man down yet."

Very almost to the point of dropping, the speaker straightened himself up, stepped into the middle of the room and for several minutes danced a lively jig while a crowd of men patted "Tuba."

It was just a little side light in the greatest period of stress and storm through which Uncle Joe Cannon has ever passed.

Speaker Cannon is sometimes rather harsh in his comments. At a banquet once, an inexperienced speaker was called upon. He nervously arose and coughed and began:

"Gentlemen, my opinion is that the generosity of mankind in general is disposed to take advantage of the generosity of—"

"Sit down, son," interrupted Cannon. "You're coming out of the same hole you went in at."

Mr. Cannon is a great smoker and can tell good tobacco a mile off. Once he got into an argument with a congressman over the best way of selecting a weed, and a couple of days later presented the latter with a cigar. After smoking it a moment the congressman said:

"Now, that's what I call the real thing. Where did you buy it, Joe?"

The name of the tobaccoist was given and 50 cents sent by a messenger for some more of the same brand. It would be impossible to do justice to the look of astonishment which appeared on his face when the messenger came back and handed him an unbroken box full of the cigars.

Speaker Cannon's career is pretty ancient history, having been published scores of times. He is a widower with two daughters. Miss Helen Cannon presides over his home in Washington, while his married daughter, Mrs. E. X. Le Seure, the wife of a Danville banker, acts as mistress of the Danville home.

He was born in Guilford, N. C. on May 7, 1836, and with the exception of one term has been in congress since 1878, holding the office of speaker in the house for the past seven years. If you want his authentic biography, as written by himself, here it is:

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The rest of the river parties came down, Sunday, in the big power boat from Newmarket. One of the occupants got to the landing at the South End fell off the stage and he was up to his waist in mud when rescued.

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Don't forget the Yankee Dixie Coons and their great Minstrel Show at Freeman's Hall on Thursday evening under the direction of Ralph S. Parker. A dance will follow the minstrels.

### ONE MORE IN THE FAMILY

A New Resident Arrives on South Street

One of the clerks in the postoffice is not only busy with his routine work today but is also responding to the congratulations that have been numerous to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Cook, who are the parents of a bouncing boy that arrived at the family home on this date.

### OWLS AT PORTLAND

Portland, Me., April 18.—With a charter list of nearly 400 the Portland nest, Order of the Owls, was instituted yesterday afternoon in Red Men's hall by H. R. Caulfield of Allentown, Penn., assisted by F. H. Corbelle and Joseph Landry of the Derry, N. H., nest.

At the conclusion of the ritualistic work the nest adjourned for a social session and a buffet lunch was served while there was a delightful program of singing, reading and monologues.

Dancing from the close of the Minstrel show till midnight at Freeman's Hall Thursday evening.

### POTTLE-GILLETTE

Francis Pottle, carpenter, of Chelsea, Mass., and Miss Millie Gillette of this city were married by Rev. George W. Farmer on Saturday evening.

Both groom and bride are natives of Newfoundland.

### FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services of Mrs. Fannie J. Cobb will be held at the residence of Miss Ida M. Dearing, No. 35 Pleasant street, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Friends are invited.

Minstrels and sale, P. C. U. Hall, April 27-28.

## AT NAVY YARD

### Promote a Southerly Boatswain

### New Sub Inspector in Yards and Docks

#### Promotion of Southerly Officer

A bill providing for the promotion of Chief Boatswain Patrick Deery of the U. S. S. Southerly to Lieutenant, junior grade, passed the senate last week with amendments which require him to pass such mental, moral, professional, and physical examination as may be prescribed by the secretary of the navy.

Boatswain Deery has been commended for many acts of bravery in the service. While in the Philippines he had charge of the steamers and other craft captured by Dewey between Manila and Cavite. One day an overjoyful sailor went overboard during the trip and Deery, who was at the wheel gave the bell to stop and without ceremony the old veteran boatswain whose big body was so full of rheumatism that he could hardly walk, ran to the stern and leaped overboard, swimming quite a distance back and rescued the half drowning man. One of the clerks at the yard now holding down the postmaster's job at Laconia, made the facts of the case known to the department at Washington, and the then secretary of the navy sent a letter to Deery commendatory of the act.

#### What it Will Cost

Much interest attaches to a provision in the naval appropriation bill restricting the application of the sum of \$30,000 to the hire of expert accountants for establishing accounts and cost of work offices at navy yards and stations "according to the plan and method of indirect charges established at the Boston navy yard July, 1909." The requirement that the navy department shall extend the Boston navy yard system to other yards places congressional approval upon that method and it permits the use of the appropriation for no other purpose. It has been estimated that that sum of money will be required in installing these new offices at the navy yards.

#### Draft of Naval Vessels

During the discussion of the naval appropriation bill in their case on April 8 Representative J. Hampton Moore succeeded in expressing his views as to the limitation of the draft of naval vessels. He offered an amendment placing the limitation at 30 feet, which was promptly rejected, even before he could explain the merits of his proposition. A little later the opportunity came and he warned the house of the enormous cost of dredging to provide for "freak" ships, suggesting the wisdom of limiting the size of ships and the depths of artificial channels. Many people are aware of the enormous sums spent for dredging the Delaware at Philadelphia. Mr. Moore's home town, and also the urgent calls for enormous sums to continue work on the channel in the effort to get a continuous depth of 30 or more feet and thereby increase the importance of Philadelphia as a port. Can there be any connection between the two propositions?—Army and Navy Register.

Portsmouth hopes to see the draft of naval vessels forty feet, and then all the ships will have to be sent here.

#### Supply Bids Every Three Months

Local business men will be much interested to learn that hereafter bids for supplies to naval vessels will be secured every three months. The Army and Navy Register says:

The paymaster general of the navy has decided upon an important change in the method of obtaining bids and making contracts for provisions and general food supplies for the navy. Hitherto it has been customary to place orders annually for articles such as fresh meat, vegetables, ice, bread, and so on. The competition is under a schedule which anticipates a year's supply for delivery at the various navy yards and stations, and it is necessary for bidders to prepare their estimates based on the expectation of varying prices of food stuffs for a period of more than a year. It has, accordingly, been decided to award the contracts quarterly and to make the call for bids local rather than general, the proposals to be opened at the respective navy pay offices.

#### Back After a Month's Sickness

Harold N. Hett, clerk in the hull division, who has been absent from

his duties for the past month, took up the work at his desk this morning. He received a hearty welcome from his brother clerks.

#### Old Timer Takes His Discharge

John L. Randall, plumbers' helper, one of the old employees of the yard was discharged at his own request today. He will reside with his daughter at Lynn in the future.

#### Another Inspector of the Yard

Harry Hilton of West Point, formerly connected with the Publishers' Paper Company at Freeman's Point, reported for duty as sub inspector in the yards and docks.

#### Another in the Fleet

Another craft has been added to the South end fleet to be known as the "Maid of Erin," commanded by Capt. Wetzel. So far her commander has made a hit in picking up belated passengers from the floats along the water front.

#### Two Loading Days This Month

The yard employees will get two holidays this month. The first on Tuesday, which is Patriots' Day in Maine and the second on Thursday, the 28th, which is Fast day in New Hampshire.

### PERSONALS.

Dr. F. W. Pike is in Boston today.

C. A. Dow of Manchester is in this city today.

G. E. Littlefield of Biddeford was a visitor here today.

Frank Anderson of Manchester is in Portsmouth today.

Waldo E. Russell of Lexington was here today on business.

Chas. J. Leavitt of Centre Ossipee is in Portsmouth today.

Ernest L. Guptill, Esq., is in Derry today on legal business.

E. L. Young and L. H. Young of Dover are in Portsmouth today.

Miss Rose Cloutier of Newfields has accepted a position at the depot cafe.

Miss Ellen Keefe of Wellesley passed Sunday with her parents in this city.

Park Mitchell, publisher of the New Hampshire Unionist, is in Portsmouth today.

George Blake of Lynn is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry of Sleepy street.

S. A. Schurman left this morning for Franklin, N. H., where he will attend a large auction sale of stock.

Mrs. Leon Malo and daughter Lydia of Somersworth are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Lamb of Cutts street.

Stephen Decatur, Jr., of the General Electric company, of Lynn, passed Sunday with his parents at Kittery Point.

Paul Flux, chief engineer at the plant of the Portsmouth Brewing company, is in Manchester today on business.

I. Miller Palfrey and family of Milton are passing a few days in this city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Leary.

Hon. Horace Mitchell of Kittery Point returned this morning from Washington, D. C., where he has been passing a few days.

Mrs. William H. Anderson, wife of Patrolman William H. Anderson of the police department, is convalescing from an attack of acute indigestion and gastritis.

Albert Stringer, who succeeded his father, Samuel Stringer, as proprietor of the Arcade Bowling alleys at York Beach, started for the beach this morning. Mr. Stringer intends to open the Arcade about June 15.

Mrs. Olive A. Winn, widow of the late Nathaniel Winn, on Sunday quietly observed the seventy-fifth anniversary of her birth at her home on Myrtle avenue. During the day the estimable woman received many callers.

Mrs. Samuel Stringer and son, who have been passing the winter in this city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Entwistle of Hanover street, left this morning for York Beach where they will pass the summer.

D. Bertram Trefethen of Seattle made a flying visit to his former home in this city today. Mr. Trefethen is a successful lawyer in the city on the Pacific slope and his many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that he is meeting with fine success.

#### BURNED AUTOMOBILE

Costly Machine Said to Have Been Destroyed by Blaze on the Road

Rumors had it today that a handsome automobile valued at near \$5,000 was destroyed on the road to Ogunquit on Sunday afternoon by fire which started in the gasoline tank. The occupants, five in number, had a narrow escape, it is said, from being burned.

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## CLOTHES ON FIRE

### Forrest Fogg Was Seriously Burned on Saturday Night

Forrest Fogg, a driver for the Hammond Beef company, is congratulating himself that he is not confined to the hospital as the result of his experience on Pleasant street on Saturday last, which will be green in his memory for a few years at least.

Matches in his pocket were the cause of his trouble and, with his assistants, they had a lively battle with the fire. His arm and leg were badly burned, also much of his clothing destroyed before the blaze was extinguished.

### POLICE COURT

Howard Spinney, charged with aggravated assault on John Carl, on March 29, was in police court today, the case having been postponed from the first of the present month.

Mr. Carl, who testified in his own behalf, said that on the day in question Spinney and himself had some words relative to the valuation of a horse, and it became so heated that he ordered Spinney out of the stable yard, telling him he did not want anything further to do with him. Following this he claimed Spinney asked him if he would give him a job. He told him he would not and while they were standing together Spinney struck him a blow in the face.

As a result of the blow his nose was broken, both eyes blackened and he was confined to his bed for six days, two of which he was compelled to lay with crushed ice on his head with temperature at 104.

He informed the court that he had not as yet recovered and that his present condition might lead to a surgical operation.

Two other witnesses, employees of Mr. Carl, gave practically the same testimony as the plaintiff.

#### What Spinney Said

Spinney, the defendant, said that Mr. Carl and himself had some words over the road qualities of a horse, and after that he inquired if Carl would give him a job, and that the reply he received was that he, Carl, would not hire him if there was no other man he could get.

He claimed Mr. Carl made a threat and said he would show him what he would do to him.

"He was bigger than me," said Spinney, "and I did not intend that he should hit me first, so I struck him."

Mr. Carl denied that he made any such attempt.

Judge Simes withheld his decision.

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until Tuesday to consider the point as to whether it was an aggravated assault on the part of Spinney.

Another Case Next Saturday  
The assault case of Cohen against Huey will be heard on Saturday.

### THEY HAVE GO TO GO SOME

The members of Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's Association have developed some crack pool players of late, but those in a position to know

say that the new players have got to go along some to equal the record recently made by the team captained by Assistant Engineer Joseph Akorman, and Henry MacDonald.

It is said that these two teams are now open to all comers and "Mac" is prepared to give lessons to all novices in the game.

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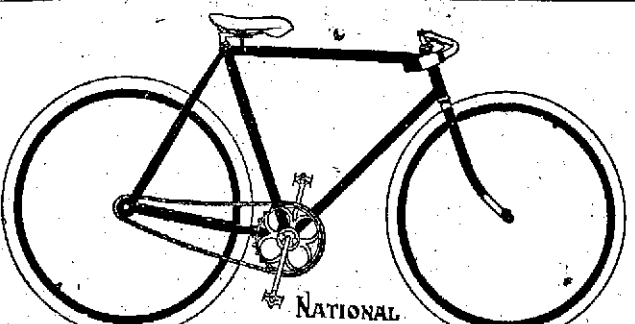
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